actions towards relief, mitigation and regulatory measures are planned and taken up by the respective agencies of Central and State Government.

Effect on marine life

1151. SHRI RAJKUMAR DHOOT: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that ambitious India mission, the launch of INSAT-4C failed as GSLV-F02 deviated from its flight path;

(b) if so, the details thereof, and causes of the mishap; and

(c) the details of areas where debris fell and its effect on marine life, if any?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE PRIME MINISTER'S OFFICE (SHRI PRITHVIRAJ CHAVAN): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) The second operational flight of GSLV, the GSLV-F02, carrying INSAT-4C took place from SDSC-SHAR on 10th July, 2006. After 45 seconds into flight, the vehicle started deviating significantly from its nominal flight path causing severe aerodynamic loads, which resulted in its subsequent break-up at about 65 seconds. A Failure Analysis Committee has been set up with experts from ISRO, academia and national research laboratory to ascertain the reasons of failure. The Committee is expected to submit its findings within on month.

(c) The debris of the vehicle fell into the sea within a distance of 6—8 km. from the launch site. There is no effect on marine life.

Restructuring of bridges on NHs

1152. SHRI LALIT SURI: Will the Minister of SHIPPING, ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether National Highways administration has recommended the restructuring of 11 bridges on National Highway-17, which are on the verge of collapse;

(b) if so, the reasons for this state of the bridges;

(c) the funds earmarked by Government for this job; and

(d) by when the work thereon is likely to be completed?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SHIPPING, ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS (SHRI K.H. MUNIAPPA): (a) There are 12 bridges, 11 in Karnataka and One in Kerala on NH-17, which are in distressed conditions and require rehabilitation. For one bridge in Kerala, proposal for rehabilitation has already been sanctioned and work is in